

## The Clovis News

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We understand the Senator is about ready to retire from politics.

Next Friday night is Chamber of Commerce night. Be on hand all ye boosters. We will be waiting for you—for you.

It is said that the best way to fight the devil is with fire. Two years ago someone else had control of the steam roller, but it's different now.

It's useless to override the people. Gang rule and bossism may work for awhile, but it won't last long, once the people become acquainted with the facts and aroused to action.

Do not let your interest in politics this fall, overshadow your boosting spirit. We have the best crops in the United States this year right here in Curry County and we want the people of the world to know it. We would have the greatest immigration in our history if others only knew what we know.

The NEWS gives the News of the proceedings of the Republican, Democratic and Socialist parties. It is not bound to any ring, clique or combination but will support such a combination whenever we think they are in the right. When, in our opinion they are not in the right, we will be equally ready to condemn. That is why the NEWS is "The People's Paper."

The progressive democrats won easily at Roswell as they did at Clovis. According to Roswell News the fight there nearly wrecked the town, while in Curry County it nearly wrecked some of the county officials. The situation in Chaves county is much the same as it is here. The bosses lost there and they likewise lost here. Things may now go on harmoniously in democratic ranks.

The membership committee of the Chamber of Commerce are meeting with splendid success, having obtained about fifty new members since the last meeting. The fair committee also announce that they have succeeded in raising about five hundred dollars in premium money. It is also expected to get a donation of about two hundred dollars from the county. The Curry County fair will be held September 24, 25 and 26.

Former Delegate in Congress William H. Andrews, whipped his opponents to a standstill in the Bernalillo county primaries recently. The Dea-Romero faction of the republican party of that county have learned a good lesson in "bossism". Undismayed at their rout in the primaries they have issued a challenge to fight it out again in the convention. It seems almost certain that Andrews will

be nominated as the republican standard bearer as against Congressman Fergusson of the democratic party, although there is considerable dissatisfaction with Fergusson in the ranks of his own party. This opposition however, it seems is scattered and disorganized. Willie Walton of the southwestern part of the state is mentioned as being acceptable to those who would oppose Fergusson's nomination.

Some of the Curry County democrats say they feel like a one legged man in a high kicking match.

The Socialists are the first in the field with a ticket in New Mexico. They have nominated W. P. Metcalf, of Albuquerque for Congress.

Many complaints can be heard these days against excessive charges for water and light service. A general destruction of faulty meters and employment of more careful observers would offer some relief.

### None to Throw Away

It will be up to the Democracy of Curry County to stand together. New Mexico will have no Democratic votes to throw away this year. —Clovis Journal—

Yes, now take a dose of your own medicine Tom and abide by the result of the county democratic convention, in which some of the court house "gang" we so effectively "snubbed." It's a long road that has no turn and the "steam roller" works both ways.

### Do You Know.

Who has decided that politics is a "rotten game" and why?

Who is accused of pulling off a "bonehead" on the dancers?

The lady that quietly paid her fine for driving over the fire hose?

The fellow who is said to have lost his girl after a three years courtship?

### Harvesting Supplies Scarce

From all reports there seems to be a general shortage on twine and harvesting supplies over the county. In fact it is stated that the present supply will not last two weeks longer which is causing much uneasiness in the agricultural districts and big wheat growing sections. This is said to be due to the unprecedented demand as a result of the bumper wheat crops of the past season and to the disturbed conditions as a result of the war in Europe. It is hoped that the Clovis dealers have laid in a supply ample to meet all the demands of the Curry County farmers as the wheat crops here this past season has exceeded all former productions.

### Another Good Rain.

We believe it would be good judgment for this office to keep the above heading and this article standing in type as we have had occasion to use it in the last three consecutive issues. A slow, soaking rain fell in Clovis and throughout the greater part of the county last Saturday night and again Monday night.

In addition to the big wheat crop recently harvested, it is now certain that Curry County will produce enough corn and forage crops to supply the state.

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## The News Printery

Mrs. E. H. Ashcraft has her mother as her guest this week.

Mrs. Frank Burns left Wednesday for Severns, Kansas to visit her mother.

C. E. Dennis and party of delegates to the state democratic convention will leave Saturday in a car for Albuquerque to attend the convention. Howard Dennis will accompany them and remain there to attend the state university.

Sheriff D. L. Moye and family are visiting in Dallas this week.

Mr. McFarland, a former resident of Clovis who was associated with the Santa Fe as civil engineer was in the city several days the first of the week. He is still with the company in the same capacity and is located in Kansas.

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